



RESPONSE - NOTICE OF MISSING PARTS PATENT

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.53(f)

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Sir:

Responsive to a Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application under 37 C.F.R. 1.53 (b) dated April 1, 2002, a copy of which is enclosed, is a Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney referring to the above-identified application by one or more of the following in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 1.63:

- [X] Name of inventor and application serial number;
- [X]Name of inventor, attorney docket number which was on the application as filed, and filing date of the application;
- Name of inventor, title of invention and filing date; [X]
- [] Name of inventor, title of invention and reference to a specification which is attached to the oath or declaration at the time of execution and filed with the oath or declaration:
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Respectfully submitted,

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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.

 A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(I) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
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